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REF: STATE 122978 (STAFFDEL ROSENBERG) - NOTAL
LONDON FOR SWOFFORD; NAIROBI FOR EZELLE AND WOCHOS:

1. MR. CHARLES MEISSNER AND MRS. ALLISON ROSENBERG, STAFF MEMBERS, TRAVELLING AT DIRECTION OF SFRC CHAIRMAN SPARKMAN AND SENATOR PERCY TO ASCERTAIN U.S. POSITIONS AND PROGRESS AT UNCTAD IV, GATT AND MTN, AS WELL AS TO REVIEW AND DISCUSS MAJOR BILATERAL AND MULTILATERAL ECONOMIC ISSUES WITH EUROPEAN COUNTRIES. OF SPECIFIC CONCERN IS THE ECONOMY OF ITALY AND U.K. AND THE INTERNATIONAL PAYMENTS PROBLEMS OF BOTH. AS SCHEDULE PERMITS STAFFDEL WISHES TO MEET WITH APPROPRIATE HOST GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS, U.S. OFFICIALS, AND KNOWLEDGEABLE FOREIGN OBSERVERS IN ACADEMIA AND PRESS CORPS.

2. ITINERARY FOLLOWS:

5/21 LV WASH 2030 PA-106 AR LONDON 5/22 0830
5/22 LV LONDON 1830 EC-663 AR NAIROBI 5/23 0730
5/30 LV NAIROBI 0050 QZ-806 AR ROME 0555
6/3 LV ROME 2115 SR-609 AR GENEVA 2135
6/6 LV GENEVA 1335 SR-548 AR FRANKFURT 1540
6/6 FRANKFURT/BONN VIA TRAIN
6/8 BONN/BRUSSELS VIA TRAIN
6/10 LV BRUSSELS 0830 BE-267 AR LONDON 0930
6/15 LV LONDON 1040 PA-107 AR WASH 1400 (MEISSNER ONLY)
6/16 LV LONDON 1040 PA-107 AR WASH 1400 (ROSENBERG)

3. STAFFDEL WILL WISH TO HEAR A BROAD RANGE OF VIEWS. PREFERS INFORMAL ATMOSPHERE AND WILL ATTEND MEETINGS AND APPOINTMENTS UNACCOMPANIED. STAFFDEL WOULD LIKE TO HAVE AN EMBASSY/MISSION BRIEFING ON FIRST WORK DAY AFTER ARRIVAL IF THIS CAN BE ARRANGED AND A FULL SCHEDULE OF APPOINTMENTS AT ALL TIMES.

4. REQUEST TWO SINGLE HOTEL ROOMS AT FIRST CLASS, MODERATE PRICED HOTEL. (SINGLE ROOM ALREADY REQUESTED IN NAIROBI FOR ROSENBERG IN REFTEL.)

5. FOR LONDON: PLEASE ARRANGE CAR/DRIVER TO MEET ON ARRIVAL AND CONVEY TO SWOFFORD HOME PER MCDONNELL/ SWOFFORD TELCON MAY 20. STAFFDEL WOULD LIKE SWOFFORDS UNCLASSIFIED

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TO JOIN FOR LUNCH AND DISCUSSIONS CONCERNING APPOINTMENTS FOR RETURN TRIP. HOPE BARGRANS ABLE TO JOIN ALSO. WOULD APPRECIATE MR. SWOFFORD DISBURSING ONE DAY'S PER DIEM TO STAFFDEL. REQUEST EMBASSY CANCEL HOTEL REQUESTED REFTEL FOR ROSENBERG AT EUROPA.

6. FOR NAIROBI: PLEASE INFORM PAUL BOEKER, JACK MYERSON AND JOEL JOHNSON OF STAFFDEL'S ARRIVAL. STAFFDEL WOULD

LIKE TO SEE FOLLOWING DELEGATIONS DURING WEEK IF POSSIBLE:

MALAYSIA (PETER LAI), EC, BRAZIL, YUGOSLAVIA, BRAZIL,
PHILIPPINES (GUERRO), VENEZUELA, U.K. AND JAMAICA.

7. FOR ROME, GENEVA, FRANKFURT, BONN AND BRUSSELS:
SEPTTEL TO FOLLOW.

8. AUTHORIZATION: PROVISIONS OF CA-10315 DATED
10/16/72 APPLY. USE OF LOCAL CURRENCIES 19FT510 FUNDS
UP TO EQUIVALENT US DOLS 75 PER DAY PLUS ACTUAL
TRANSPORTATION COSTS AUTHORIZED MEISSNER AND ROSENTHAL
BY SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE. APPOINT CONTROL
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